MANDATED REPORTING



Missouri Medicaid Audit and Compliance
Provider Certification Review Materials

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Mandated reporters are people who have regular contact with vulnerable people such as minors, disabled persons between 18 and 59, and senior citizens and are therefore legally required to report (or cause a report to be made) when abuse is observed or suspected.

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<u>In-home services owners, providers, operators or employees must report:</u>

- Suspected abuse, neglect or exploitation of disabled persons between 18 and 59 and any person aged 60 or older to **1-800-392-0210**
- Suspected abuse, neglect or exploitation of children to 1-800-392-3738
- Suspected abuse, neglect or exploitation of Long Term Care Facility residents to 1-800-392-0210

Elder Abuse Hotline

Provider staff and volunteers shall be familiar with and shall be able to recognize situations of possible abuse, neglect, exploitation or likelihood of serious physical harm involving disabled persons and seniors.

Reports shall be made IMMEDIATELY to the DHSS elder abuse hotline.

1-800-392-0210

Hotline is open 7am - 12am, 7 days a week

State Statutes and Regulations

- Mandated Reporting
 - × 192.2405.1 RSMo
 - × 19 CSR 15-7.010 (8)
 - × 19 CSR 15-7.021 (18)(R)
- Elder Abuse/Neglect/Financial Exploitation
 - × 565.188 RSMo
 - × 19 CSR 15-7.021 (18)(R)
- Child Abuse
 - × 210.109 210.183 RSMo
- Long Term Care Facility residents
 - × 198.070 198.090 RSMo